

*** * ADVANCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION NOTICE * ***

DATE: October 16, 2014

TO: Mitsubishi Motors US and Puerto Rico Dealer Principals, Service Managers, and Parts Managers

RE: Lancer Passenger Air Bag Inflator Special Service Campaign

ATIN NO. ATIN-14-SC-004-A

AFFECTED VEHICLES: Certain 2004 - 2005 Lancer, Lancer Sportback, and Lancer Evolution Vehicles Built Jun. 16, 2003 – Dec. 8, 2004

PURPOSE

A special service campaign will be released today for the front passenger air bag inflator equipped on certain 2004 - 2005 Lancer, Lancer Sportback, and Lancer Evolution vehicles built June 16, 2003 to December 8, 2004. **This regional special service campaign is limited to vehicles currently registered or originally sold in Florida, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the US Virgin Islands.** The Special Service Campaign Bulletin outlining the repair procedure will be available today on MEDIC and MDL.

To assist in NHTSA's investigation of certain Takata air bags exposed to high levels of humidity, the front passenger air bag inflator on certain 2004 - 2005 Lancer, Lancer Sportback, and Lancer Evolution vehicles will be replaced. **The replaced inflator must be returned to Takata directly for testing and analysis.**

Dealers must review the return shipping document attached to the replacement air bag inflator kit PN 7030A696. This document is also attached to SC-14-004. To obtain your dealership's CCN, please reference the MDL > Parts > Parts Information > Hazardous Materials > Takata Air Bag Inflator CCN.

Some dealers may be force allocated stock using a formula based on the proximity and percentage of applicable registered VINs by ZIP code. Parts shipments are processed via the 'R' order type and started shipping Thursday, October 16, 2014. Dealers may place additional orders via the MDL. Please refer to Parts Bulletin 52-LN-01-14 for additional information.

Affected new vehicle inventory VINs can be reviewed on the Mitsubishi Dealer Link in the **Most Recent: Open Campaign List** available under the service section of "e-reports". Dealers must review the Warranty Superscreen to confirm if any vehicles in their new or used vehicle inventories are affected, and conduct this campaign prior to delivering them. When checking for applicability of this campaign (C1414A), please check for and complete any other open campaigns. Always get the customer's approval before completing a campaign on a customer owned vehicle.

IMPORTANT

Affected new or used inventory vehicles must be repaired before the vehicle is delivered. Dealers must check their inventory vehicles' VINs on the Warranty Super Screen to verify whether the vehicle is involved in this service action.